

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

At page 1 of the Specification please replace the paragraph from lines 6-9, with the following amended paragraph.

This application is a continuation in part application of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/483,172, entitled: Pet Registration, Search and Retrieval System, filed January 14, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,792,465, and hereby incorporates and, with regard to all common subject matter, claims priority of a previously filed U.S. nonprovisional utility patent application entitled ~~Pet Registration, Search and Retrieval System~~, Serial No. 09/483,172.